

From: Nassif, Julianne (DPH)
Sent: Wednesday, October 24, 2007 6:11 AM
To: Salemi, Charles (DPH); Stevenson, Allan (DPH)
Subject: RE: Drug Lab priority situation

Chuck,
Wednesday probably won't work for me but we can meet on Thursday and conference Cam in.

From: Salemi, Charles (DPH)
Sent: Tue 10/23/2007 4:07 PM
To: Nassif, Julianne (DPH); Stevenson, Allan (DPH)
Subject: RE: Drug Lab priority situation

Julie and Cam, I'd like to get together Wednesday to discuss the setting of testing priorities for the Drug Laboratory. It has become unmanageable to deal with all the requests for additional and expedited testing that we are receiving. I just received requests for several expedited crack analyses needed by next Monday for Federal Court. We also have defense expert Harvey Cohen coming in Wednesday for a defense reweighing. There are several other cases in the safe waiting for Defense chemists to come in, and we have several requests for analyzing Rx class E pharmaceuticals chemically rather than by appearance and labeling. We need to come up with a plan to address the best uses of our limited resources. Chuck S.

From: Nassif, Julianne (DPH)
Sent: Tuesday, October 23, 2007 1:13 PM
To: Stevenson, Allan (DPH); Salemi, Charles (DPH)
Subject: RE: Needles and syringes in 2006

Thanks Cam but I need to have the cities & towns that submitted these, as well

From: Stevenson, Allan (DPH)
Sent: Tuesday, October 23, 2007 11:43 AM
To: Nassif, Julianne (DPH); Salemi, Charles (DPH)
Subject: Needles and syringes in 2006

Hi Julie,

I have tallied the needles and syringes that were submitted to the Boston and Amherst Labs in calendar 2006. Some of these were analyzed in 2007. I will fax you a print out of these items sorted by city (or agency). The print out lists sample number, case number (as a substitute for defendant), city, findings, date submitted and date analyzed. Check with Chuck, but I believe that he said that most or all of the not tested had other items with that defendant. If you want I can check that, but it will take about an hour. Let me know if you want it.

The totals are

Not tested	201
Heroin	80
Negative	63
Cocaine	17
Morphine	4
Fentanyl	4
Monoacetyl morphine	3
Testosterone	2
Methylphenidate	1
Diltiazem	1
Procaine	1
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Let me know if you need anything else.

Cam

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